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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): GEORG WALL

For: TWO-PIECE JOINING DEVICE FOR SHEET PILE RETAINING WALLS

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 3 Sheets of drawing. (FIG. 1-2)
- ☐ A certified copy of a \_\_\_\_\_ application (priority document).
- ☐ A declaration and power of attorney.
- ☒ Priority is hereby claimed on the basis of the following:

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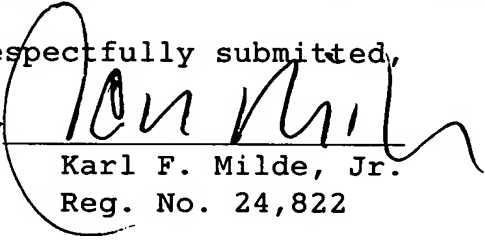
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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.41(c)

The undersigned has been authorized by the above-identified applicant to file the application which is being filed herewith on behalf of the inventor(s). Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. 371 and 37 C.F.R. 1.41(c), the required oath and surcharge will be submitted within two (2) months of the filing date or one (1) month from the date of Notice from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office that the executed oath is due in the above-identified application, whichever date is later.

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